In connection with the report a letter was read from the commandant, Lieut-Colonel Smith, recommending the improvement of the approaches to the Military School, the grading of Elizabeth street, and the laying of walks, etc

Ald. Moore thought if the Fifth Ward graded Elizabeth street the city should grade the east end of Piccadilly street.

Ald. Heaman moved in amendment to the first clause that the city do the grading.

The Engineer said if the city had to do it, the best and cheapest way would be to extend Piccadilly street and grade it only.

On motion of Ald. Vining and Moore the suggestion of the Engineer was adopted in amendment to the clause.

The second clause passed.

The first section of the third clause passed, and the last half was referred back to the Committee.

The report was adopted as amended.

NO 1 COMMITTEE.

By Ald. Bowman (Chairman):—1. Your Committee having examined the following accounts and finding them correct recommend the same for payment:—

NO. 1 COMMITTEE ACCOUNTS.

Salaries—		
Thomas Browne ..	$ 200 00	
W D Buckle	200 00	
C W Andrus	200 00	
		$ 600 00
Insurance—		
Royal Canadian	31 50	
Guardian	15 75	
Carpenters' Risk......	10 50	
do do	75	
		$ 58 50
Incidental Expenses—		
Bell Telephone Co..	25	
Telegram......	25	
J S Marshall......	4 00	
		$ 4 50
Printing, Advertising and Stationery:—		
R Hills	21 00	
Mail P & P Co....	6 75	
		$ 27 75

NO. 2 COMMITTEE ACCOUNTS.

Exhibition—		
Pay Sheet.............	$ 416 58	
Jones Bros	1,000 00	
Broadbent & LeBell.	1,600 00	
H C Green......	800 00	
F J Reed....	460 00	
A T Corp	300 00	
" "	300 00	
Peter Steeles, jr	300 00	
Harding & Leathorn.	250 00	
Geo F Durand........	200 00	
Jas Lucas	88 10	
Wm Scott & Son	75 00	
Smith & Reynolds....	75 00	
Thomas Smith.... ..	65 00	
M A Winder...........	50 00	
Thos Mitchell..	50 00	
A F Allan	50 00	
do do	45 00	
James Thornton	41 75	
J M Robinson........	20 00	
		$6 186 43
Streets, &c.—		
Pay sheet ... .—$	390 36	
Ferguson Bros......	231 68	
Pat Mulhall	76 49	
Wm Anthistle	69 80	
S H Craig	67 90	
C Blythe....	52 60	
John Donohue	50 00	
A Isaac	13 00	
Grand Trunk......	11 20	
		$ 963 03
York Street Bridge—		
J B Wells......		165 83
Sewer Repairs—		
Jos Garratt		18 40
		$7,333 69

NO. 3 COMMITTEE ACCOUNTS.

Hospital—		
Joss Gatecliffe.. . .	$ 148 67	
Street Watering—		
Robt Wonacott	14 25	
Street Lighting—		
Wm Ironsides..	109 75	
		$ 272 67
Relief Accounts—		
Pethick & McDonald.		31 60
		$8,328 71

2—That the petition of Mrs. Clegg for remission of 1886 taxes be granted.

3—That the communication of Agnes Mitchell be laid over pending the report of No. 2 Committee on the matter.

4—That the communications of Isa Danks, J. B. Ham, J. F. Cryer and C. F. Kingston be filed.

5—Your Committee beg to report progress on the communications *re* railway damage and closing certain streets, the accounts of W D Buckle and C W Andrus, also the petitions of Mrs Clarke, Wm Douglass, Mrs Nichol, Mrs Ackroyd, R G Balmen, J M May, Mrs Hanson, Mrs Geoghan and Mrs Gardner.

6—Your Committee beg to submit By-law authorizing borrowing the sum of $50,000 from the Bank of Montreal to meet current expenses for the year 1887.

7—That the Solicitor be instructed to petition the Lieut-Governor to sanction the purchase of the recent issue of city school debentures with the sinking funds of the city.

8—That re the charges preferred against Ald. Moore by Ald. Taylor, which were to be investigated by your Committee, we wish to lay before the Council the communications which have passed between the Secretary of your Committee and Ald. Charles Taylor, and your Committee report that Ald. Charles Taylor has not come forward to prove his assertions against Ald. Moore, and your Committee further are of the opinion that Ald. Charles Taylor should prove his charges at once or apologize to Ald. Moore for his language on the evening of the 12th inst.

Ald. Bowman read the correspondence referred to, in which Ald. Taylor was

notified of the meeting of No. 1, and requested to bring on his charges and witnesses; and he replied that he did not purpose to be dictated to by Ald. Bowman as to his method of procedure in the case.

The first five clauses in the report read and adopted.

On the 6th clause Ald Bowman read the by-law to raise $50,000 by borrowing from the Bank of Montreal at 5½ per cent. per annum. Read 2nd and 3rd time, and passed.

Ald. Taylor asked for the City Treasurer's statement of expenditures ordered for last meeting. Read and filed.

The 8th clause read,

Ald. Skinner moved, seconded by Ald. Greer, that the consideration of the matter be deferred till next meeting. Lost, and clause adopted.

BY-LAWS.

The by-law changing the name of Salter, Palace and Peter streets to Prospect avenue, was read three times and passed.

Ald. Taylor's notice of motion, re assessment, was laid over till next meeting.

The Council adjourned for two weeks.